

STATE of MINNESOTA

Proclamation

WHEREAS: Linda Scheid served as a Minnesota State Representative from 1977 to 1979 and from 1983 to 1991, and as a Minnesota State Senator from 1997 to 2011; and

WHEREAS: Linda Scheid served as Chair of the Senate Commerce & Consumer Protection Committee from 2004 to 2010; and

WHEREAS: During her distinguished legislative career, Linda Scheid was a leader on many issues, including consumer protection, education equity, campaign finance reform, organ donation, tax fairness, business regulatory reform, economic development, and health care reform—most notably ensuring that oral chemotherapy drugs are affordable and accessible; and

WHEREAS: Linda Scheid was deeply committed to the residents of Brooklyn Center, Brooklyn Park, and to all Minnesotans; and

WHEREAS: Linda Scheid personified the meaning of a true bi-partisan legislator; and

WHEREAS: Linda Scheid's commitment to public service was demonstrated throughout her life, from her service as a Peace Corps volunteer, community advocate, parks and recreation worker, substitute teacher, and lawmaker.


NOW, THEREFORE, I, MARK DAYTON, Governor of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim June 28, 2011 as:

LINDA SCHEID DAY

throughout the State of Minnesota, and do hereby order all U.S. flags and Minnesota flags be flown at half-staff at all state and federal buildings in the State of Minnesota, from sunrise until sunset on Tuesday, June 28, 2011, in honor and remembrance of Senator Linda Scheid.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Minnesota to be affixed at the State Capitol this 27th day of June.


GOVERNOR



SECRETARY OF STATE